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# Sanitary Contract 910 (Improvements to the Sanitary Sewer Collection System in the Herring Run Sewershed, Part 2: Chinquapin Run)

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To whom it may concern,

Sanitary Contract 910 is underway, and work is being completed at multiple locations. Work activities primarily consist of replacement and upsizing of sanitary sewers by open-cut excavation, cured-in-place pipe lining (CIPP), construction of new manholes, and stream stabilization along Chinquapin Run.

The purpose of this project is to:

- Repair the aging sewer system
- Prevent sewer back-ups into private property
- Reduce/eliminate sewer overflows
- Improve sewage flows and pipe capacity
- Improve stream water quality
- Maintain and enhance existing bedrock and bed features
- Stabilize the stream flow and reduce bank erosion

Below is the project construction status update:

SC910 is approximately 98% complete with an expected construction completion of Summer 2021.

## **Work in Progress / Complete**

# • Sewer construction

o All sewer construction work on this project was completed early February 2021.

#### • Stream restoration work is underway from Walker Avenue towards Cedarcroft Road

- o This is the final phase of stream construction work
- Work entails of installing in-stream rock structures for flow control and bank stabilization features
- Heavy machinery will be used (construction noise is expected)
- o Large construction vehicles will be utilized to deliver heavy stream building materials to the site
- O Stream flow will be rediverted and managed with bypass pumps (some operational noise is expected)
- Work expected to take approximately 2-4 weeks to complete

### • Stream restoration planting work (Fall 2021)

- o Tree, grass, and shrub planting is complete in areas where sewer/stream construction was finished.
- o This work aims to stabilize disturbed areas, reforest along the stream, and beautify the area.
- o Current locations where plantings are completed:
  - Chinquapin Run stream banks and paths between Herring Run Stream & Hillen Road, Hillen Road & Loch Raven Blvd, Loch Raven Blvd & Woodbourne Ave, Woodbourne Ave & The Alameda, The Alameda & Belvedere Ave, Belvedere Ave towards Northern Parkway, Northern Pkwy & E Lake Ave
- Areas currently under construction (East Lake Ave to Walker Avenue along Chinquapin Run) will be planted and restored in Fall 2021, when seasonally appropriate.

## • Site restoration at various locations

- o Sidewalks, curbs, and alleys previously impacted by work will be restored
- Asphalt pavement roads and parking lots impacted by work will be restored
- o Topsoil, seed, and grass will be installed
- Construction vehicles and machinery will be used

Below are some pictures to highlight work in-progress and recently accomplished:



Reach E Stream Restoration Work Complete, new grass and planting installations (between Belvedere & Northern Parkway)



Reach B Stream Restoration Work Grasses and trees filling in (between Loch Raven & Hillen Road)

We hope this provides insights for upcoming work as we strive to timely and safely complete this project. If you have any questions, please call (410) 396-4700, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM. Additional information and resources are also available on our website <a href="https://publicworks.baltimorecity.gov/">https://publicworks.baltimorecity.gov/</a>.

Sincerely,

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